

Docket No. 114122-00107

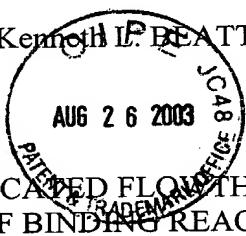
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kenneth L. BEATTIE

SERIAL NO: 09/063,356

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FOR: MICROFABRICATED FLOW THROUGH POROUS APPARATUS FOR DISCRETE
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EXAMINER: David A. SAUNDERS

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated February 26, 2003.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 was filed for months.
 A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
 A Petition for Extension of Time (\$930.00) for filing the Notice of Appeal (\$320.00) is attached.

Fee: \$1,250

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Respectfully Submitted,

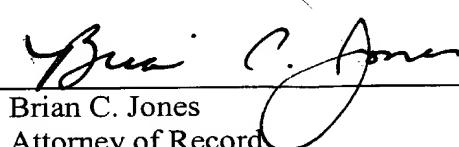
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